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In re Application of

Nobuaki HONBO, et al.

Serial No.: 09/828,863

Group Art Unit: 2871 ✓

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**PETITION FOR LETTERS PATENT AND
WITHDRAWAL OF HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Abandonment, mailed April 2, 2004 (and received April 12, 2004), and in accordance with Delgar, Inc., v. Schuyler (172 USPQ 513) (DDC 1971) and MPEP § 711.03(c), page 700-92, second column (Ed. 7, July 1998), Applicants hereby petition for the issuance of the Letters Patent and for withdrawal of the holding of abandonment.

The Notice states that the abandonment was caused by "Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability" and "No corrected drawings have been received".

Attached to this Petition are Applicants' Submission of Corrected Formal Drawings and Request for Consideration of Information Disclosure Statement, and date-stamped post card receipt, filed September 15, 2003 (Exhibit 1), which evidence Applicants' timely filing of corrected drawings.

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Docket No. C32-113919M/TH
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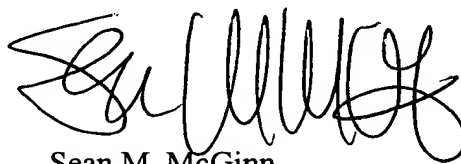
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It is noted that Applicants' received an office communication, dated December 15, 2003 (Exhibit 2), which forwarded an initialed copy of the Information Disclosure Statement filed July 10, 2003, as requested in the Request for Consideration of Information Disclosure Statement, concurrently filed with the Submission of Corrected Formal Drawings on September 15, 2003.

Pursuant to the fact that corrected formal drawings were timely filed on September 15, 2003, which is believed to satisfy fully the requirements set forth in MPEP § 711.03(c), Applicants respectfully request the issuance of the Letters Patent in the subject application and that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn.

Since this error is due to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, no fee is believed necessary. Please charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully submitted,



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SUBMISSION OF CORRECTED FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

Submitted herewith are corrected formal drawings for Figures 1-14 for the above-identified patent application, which remedy the deficiencies noted on Form PTOL-37, dated August 26, 2003.

Approval and acknowledgment of receipt are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

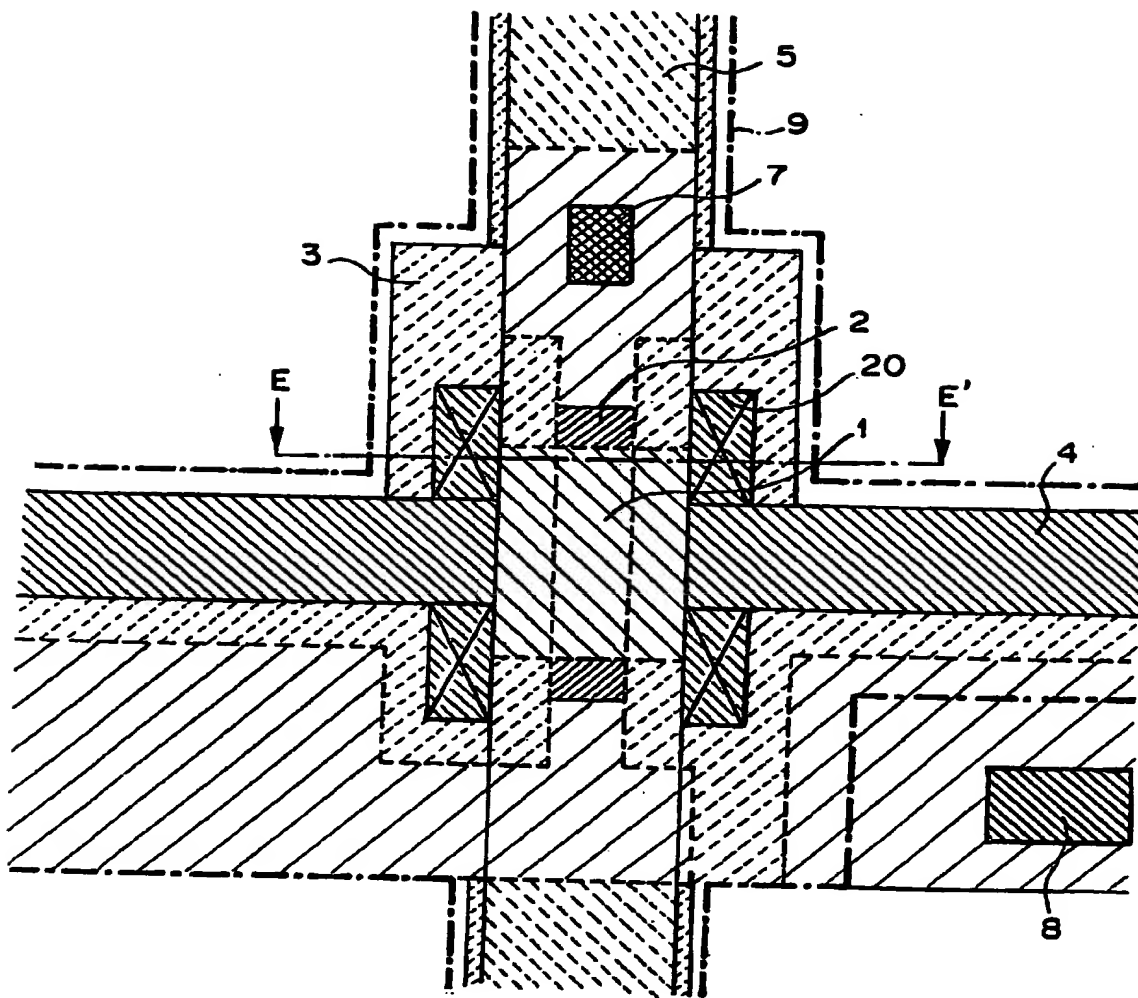
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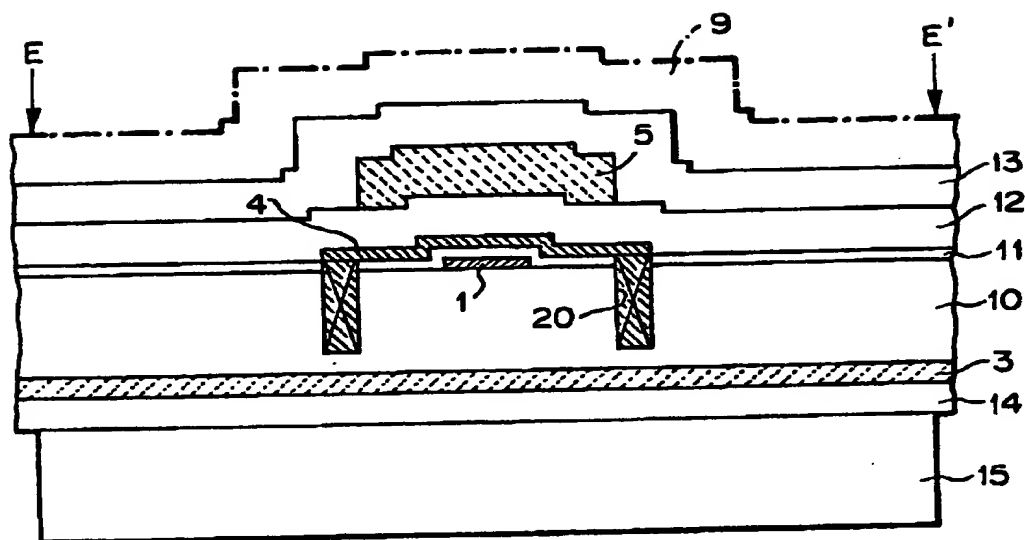


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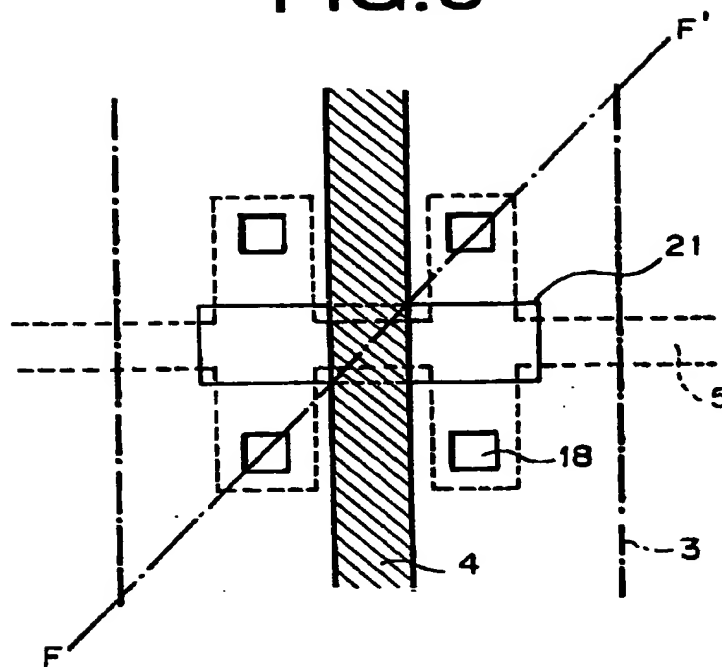
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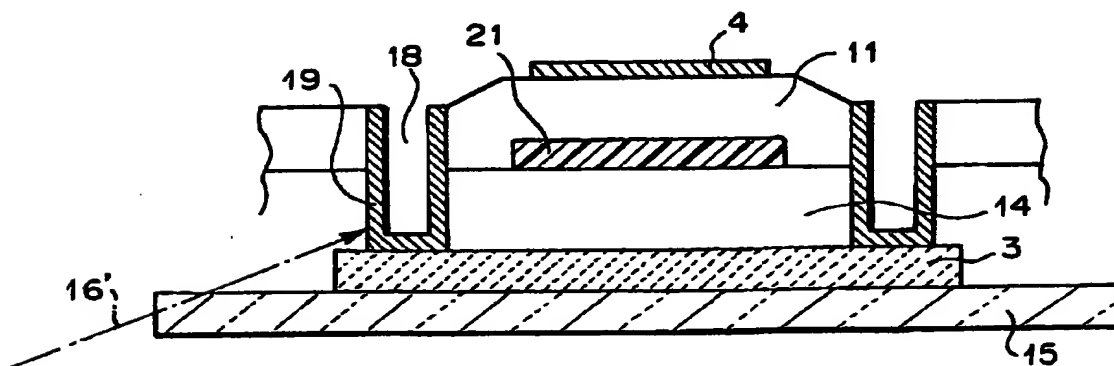
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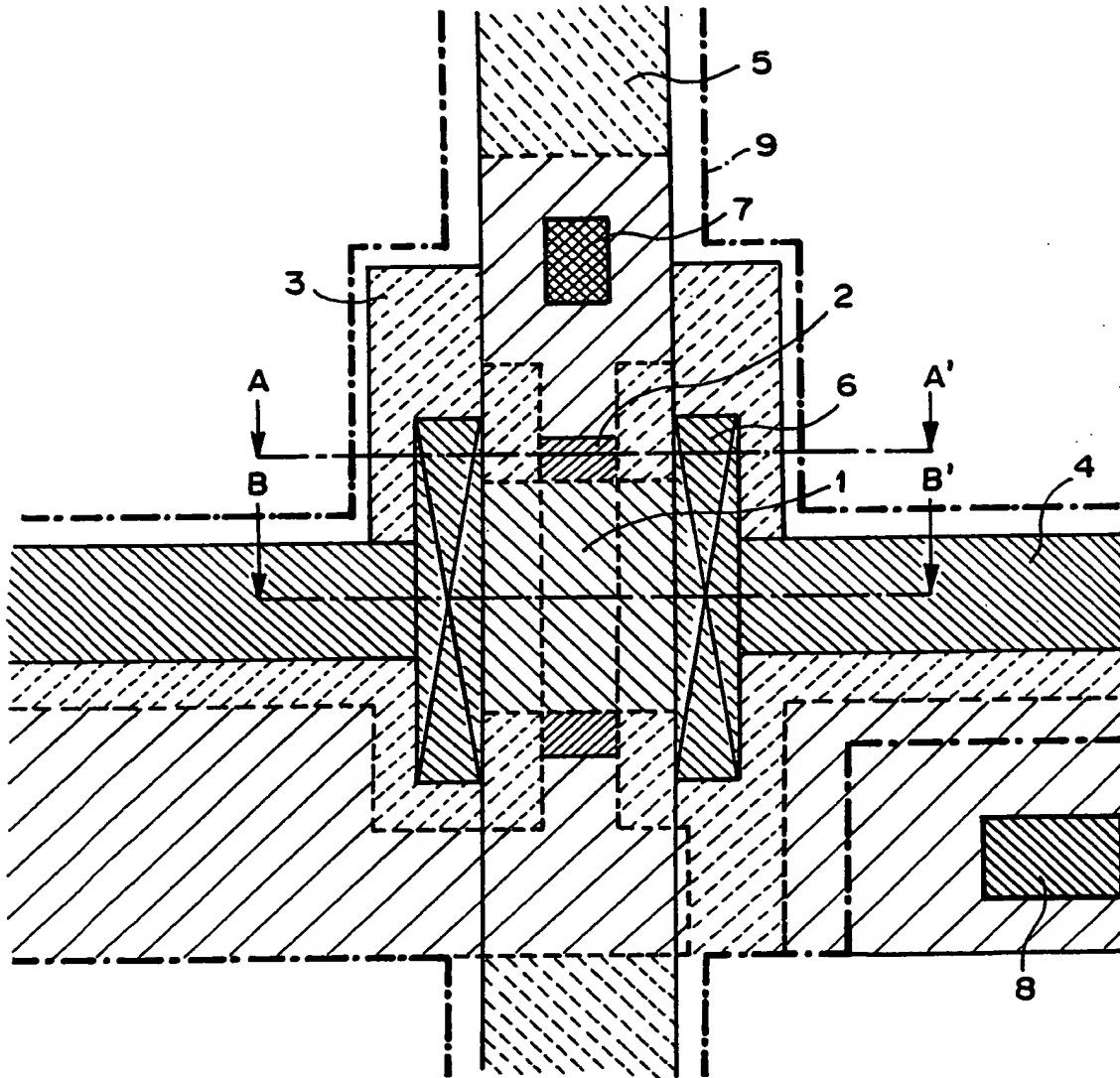


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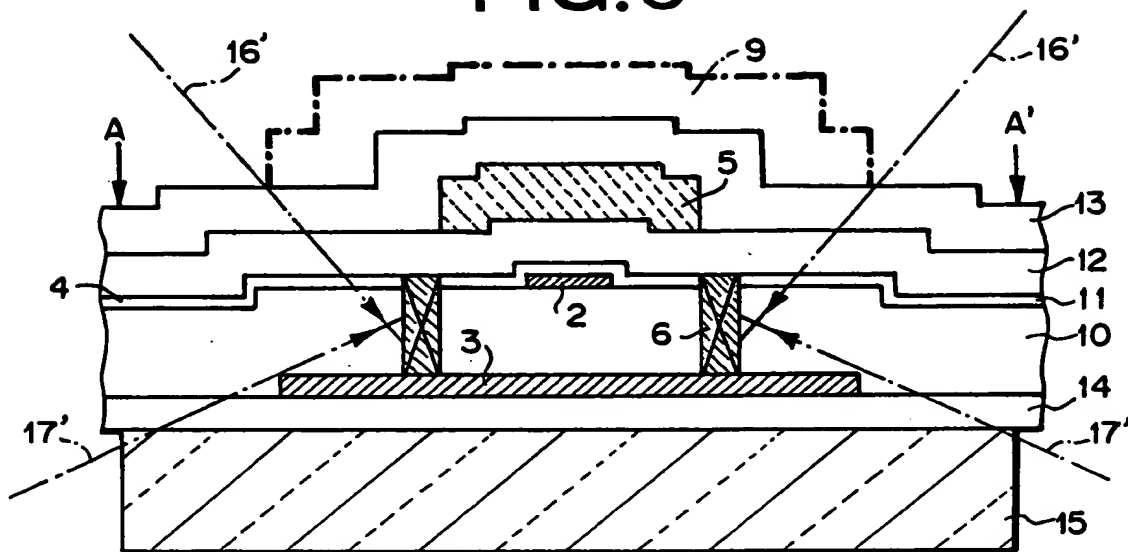
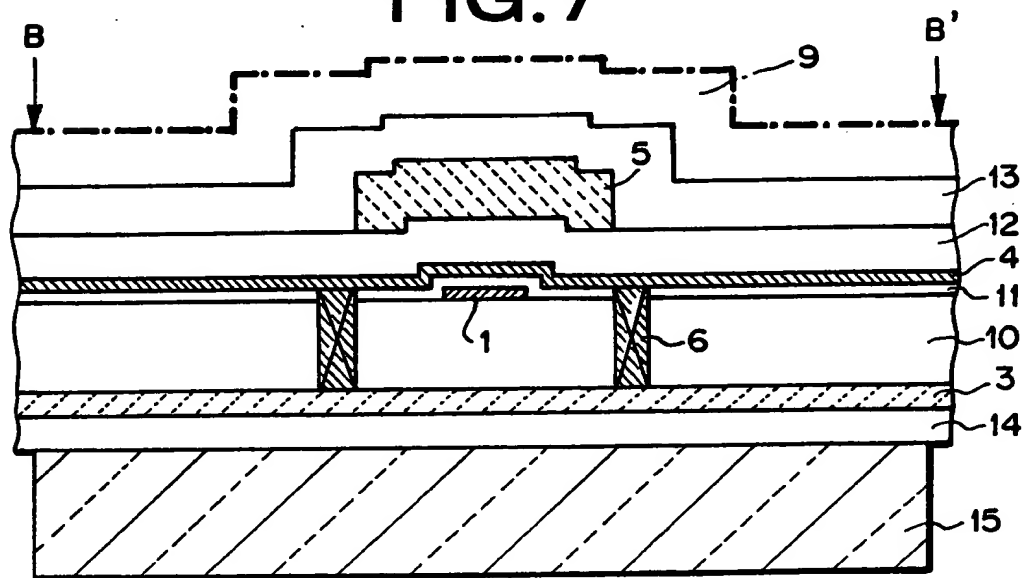


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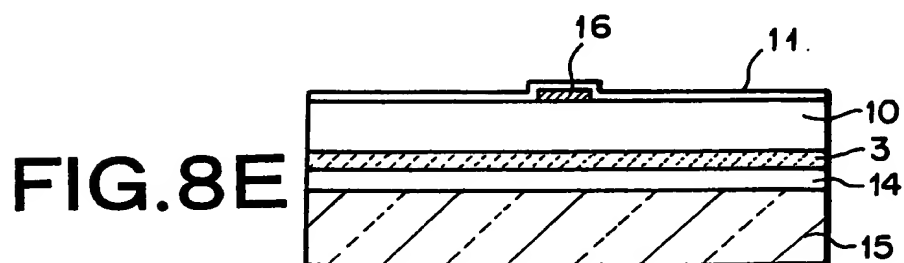
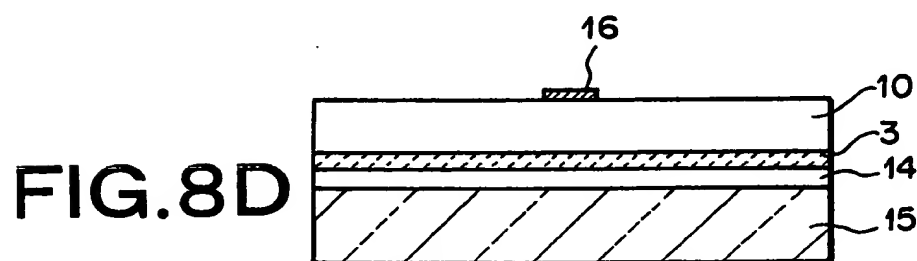
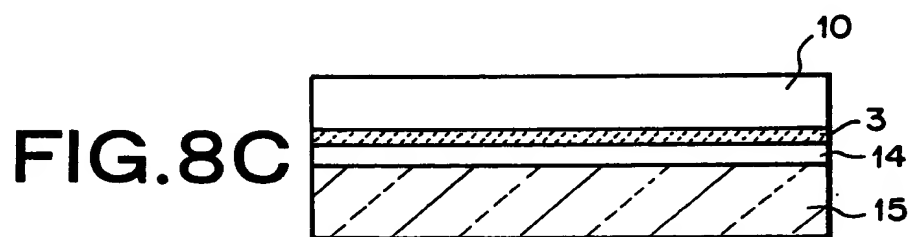
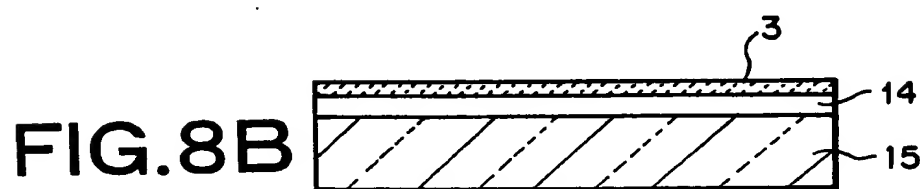
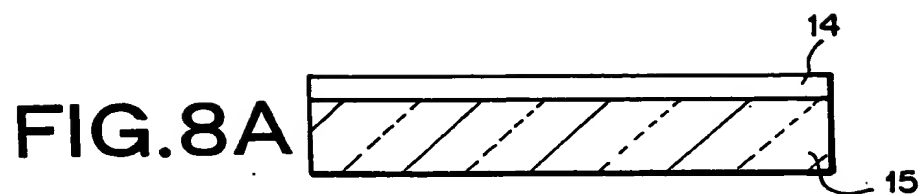


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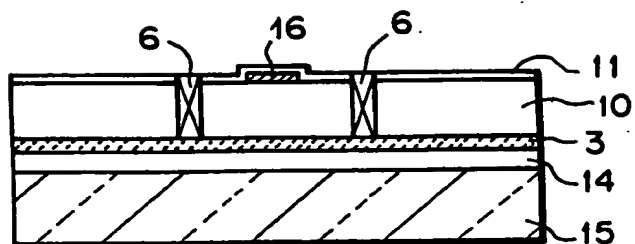


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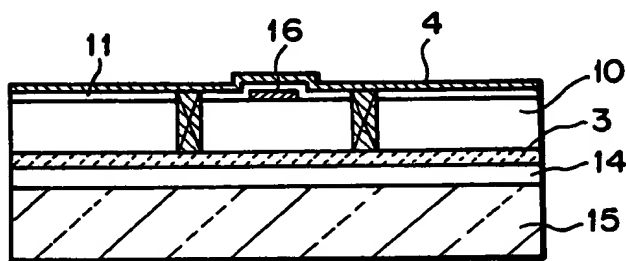


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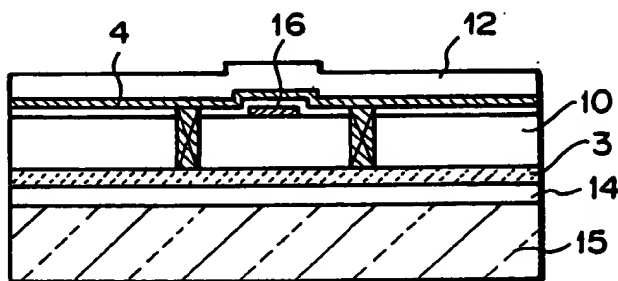


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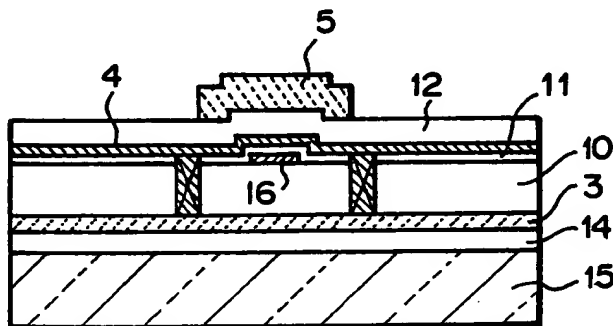


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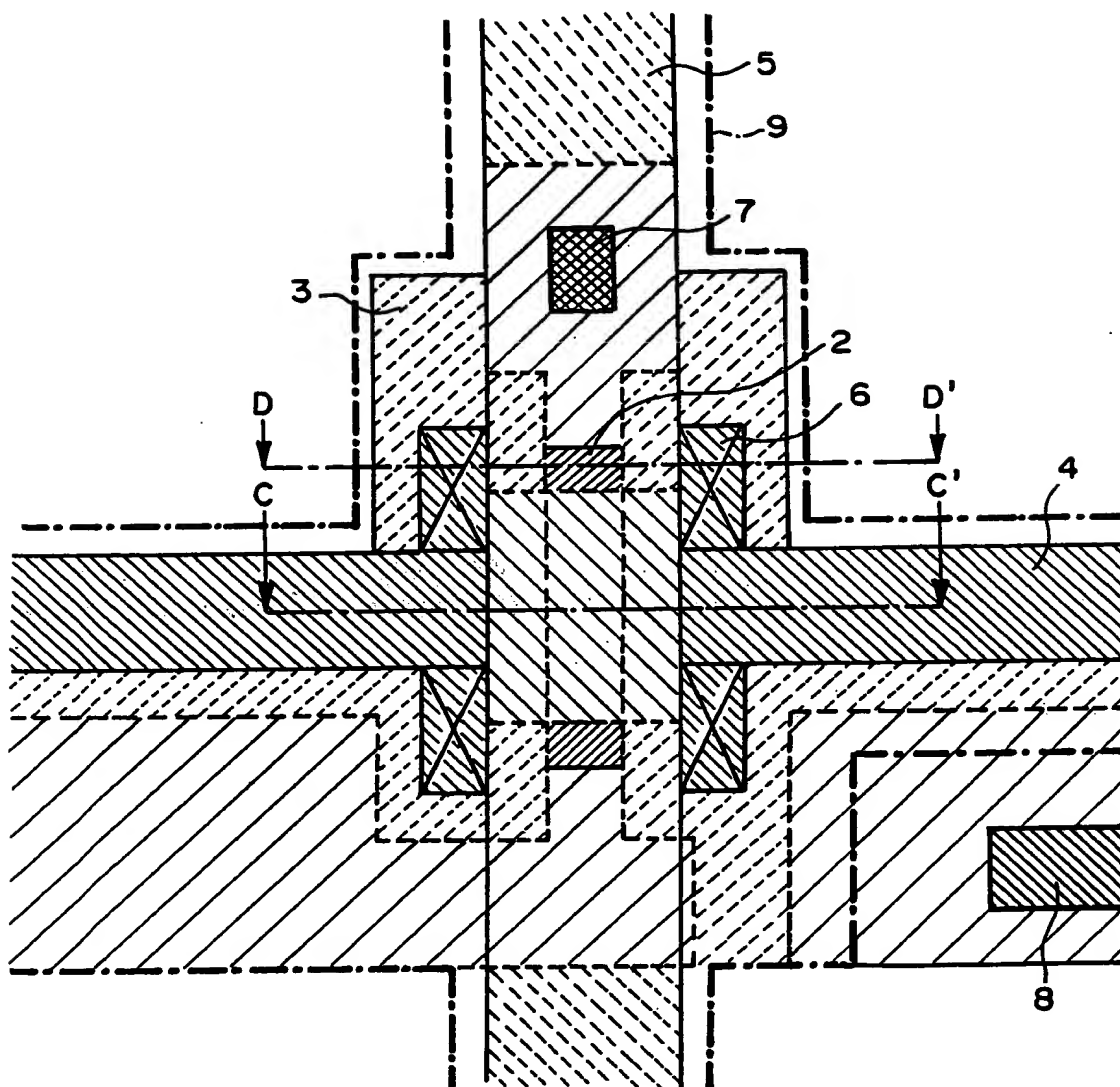
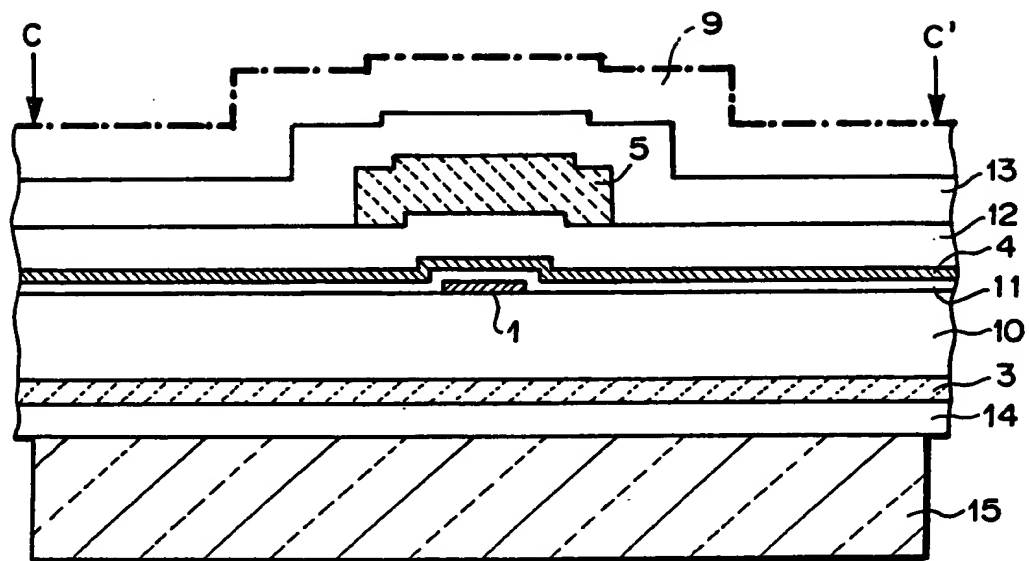


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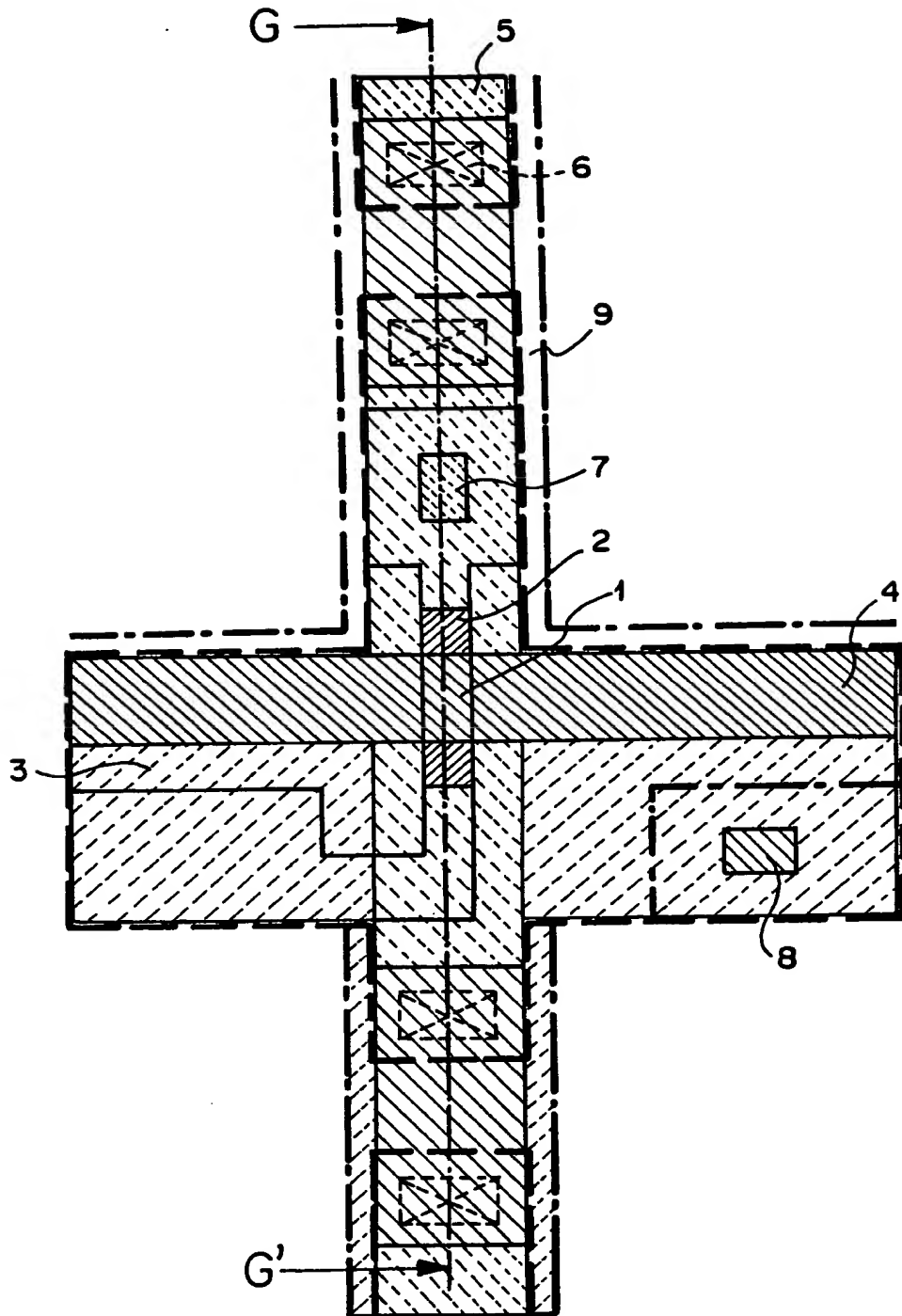


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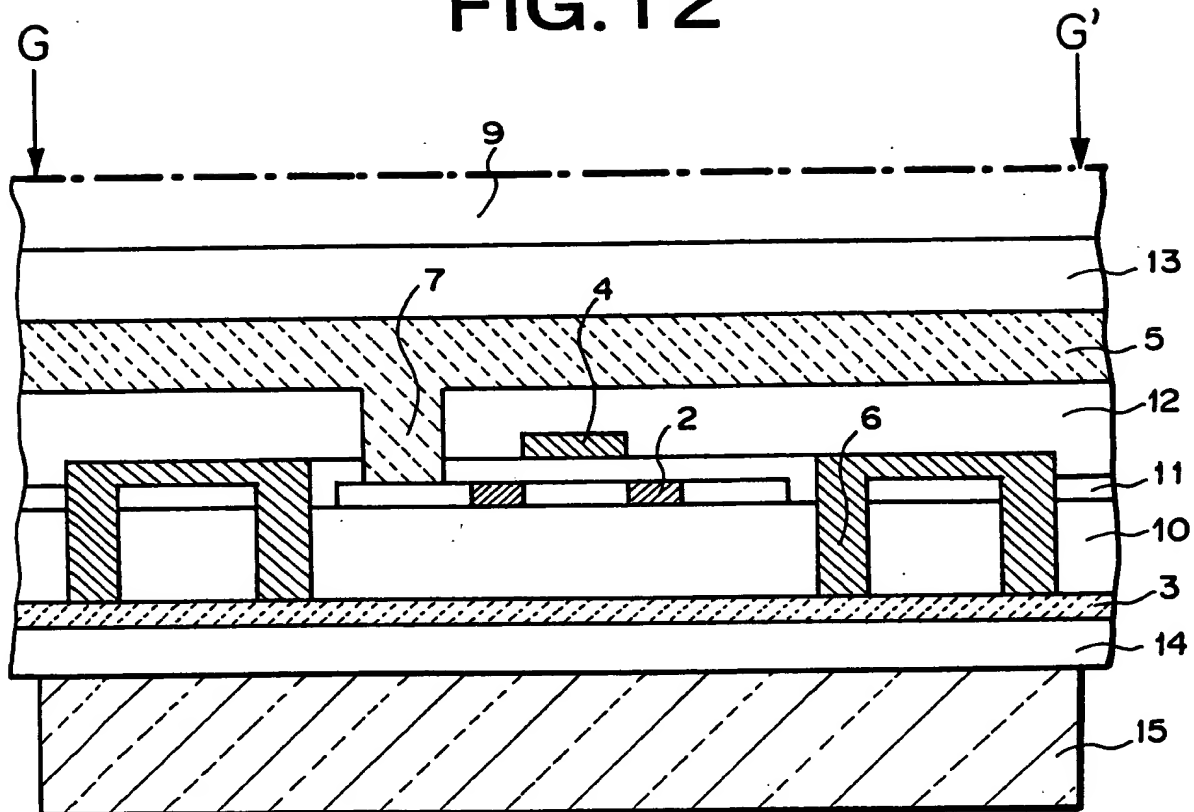


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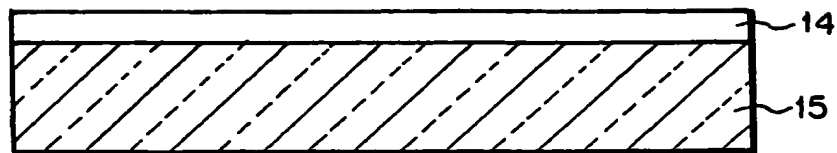


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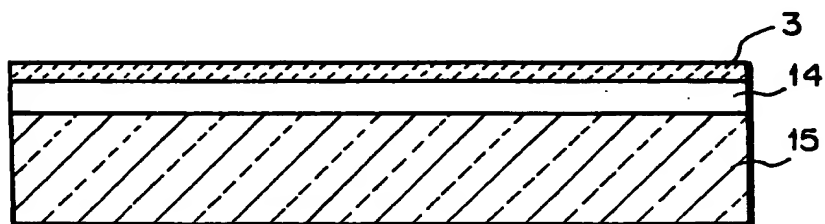


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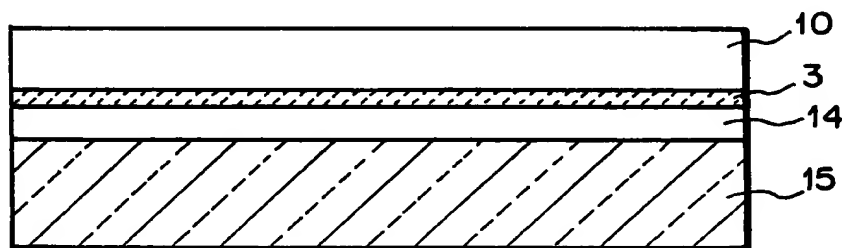


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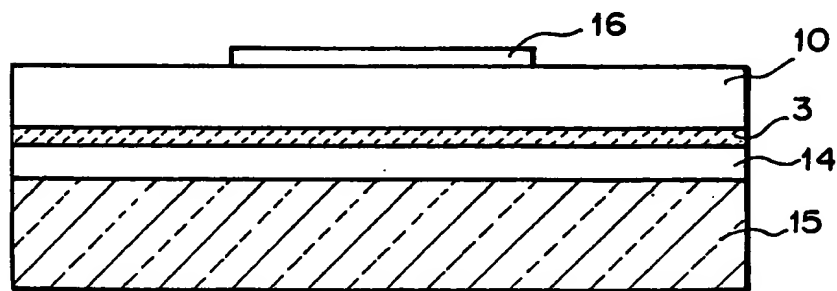


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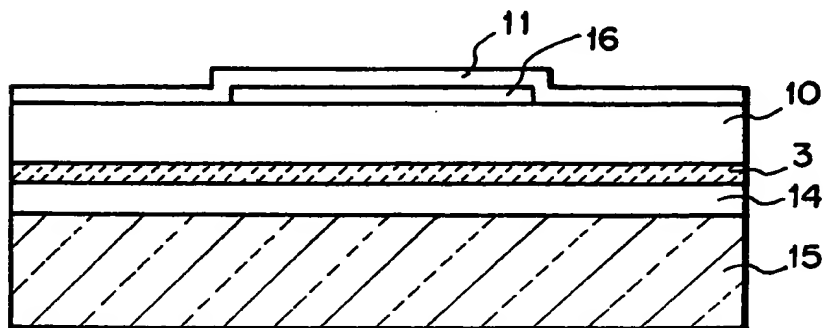


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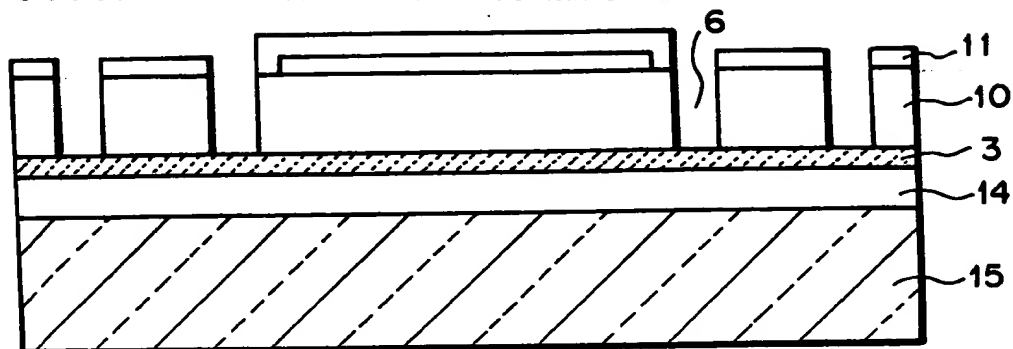


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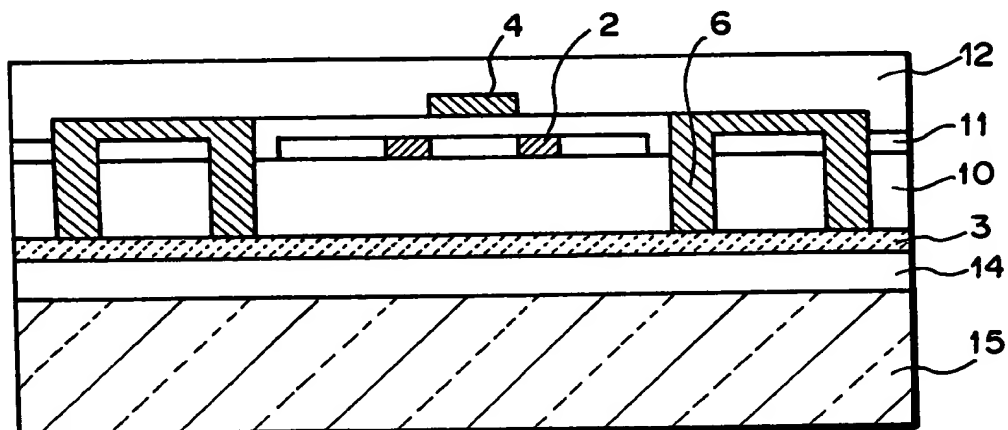


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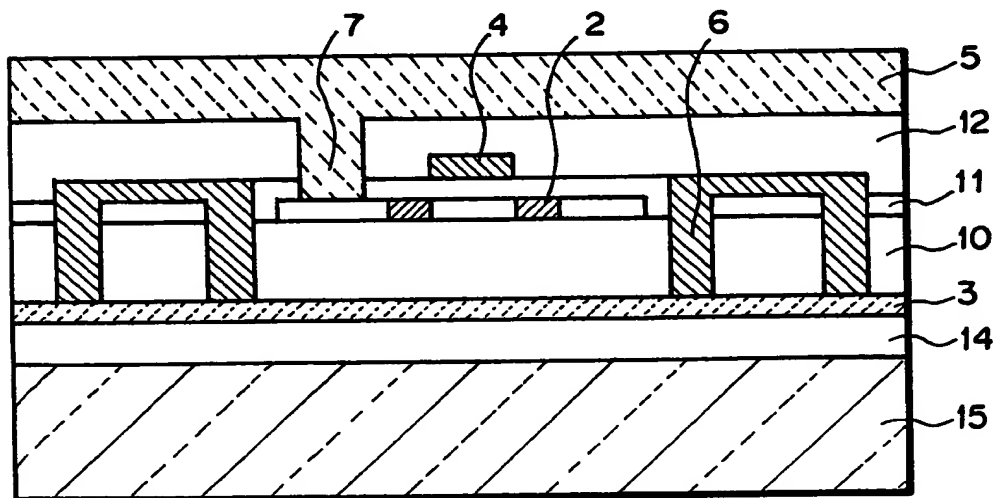
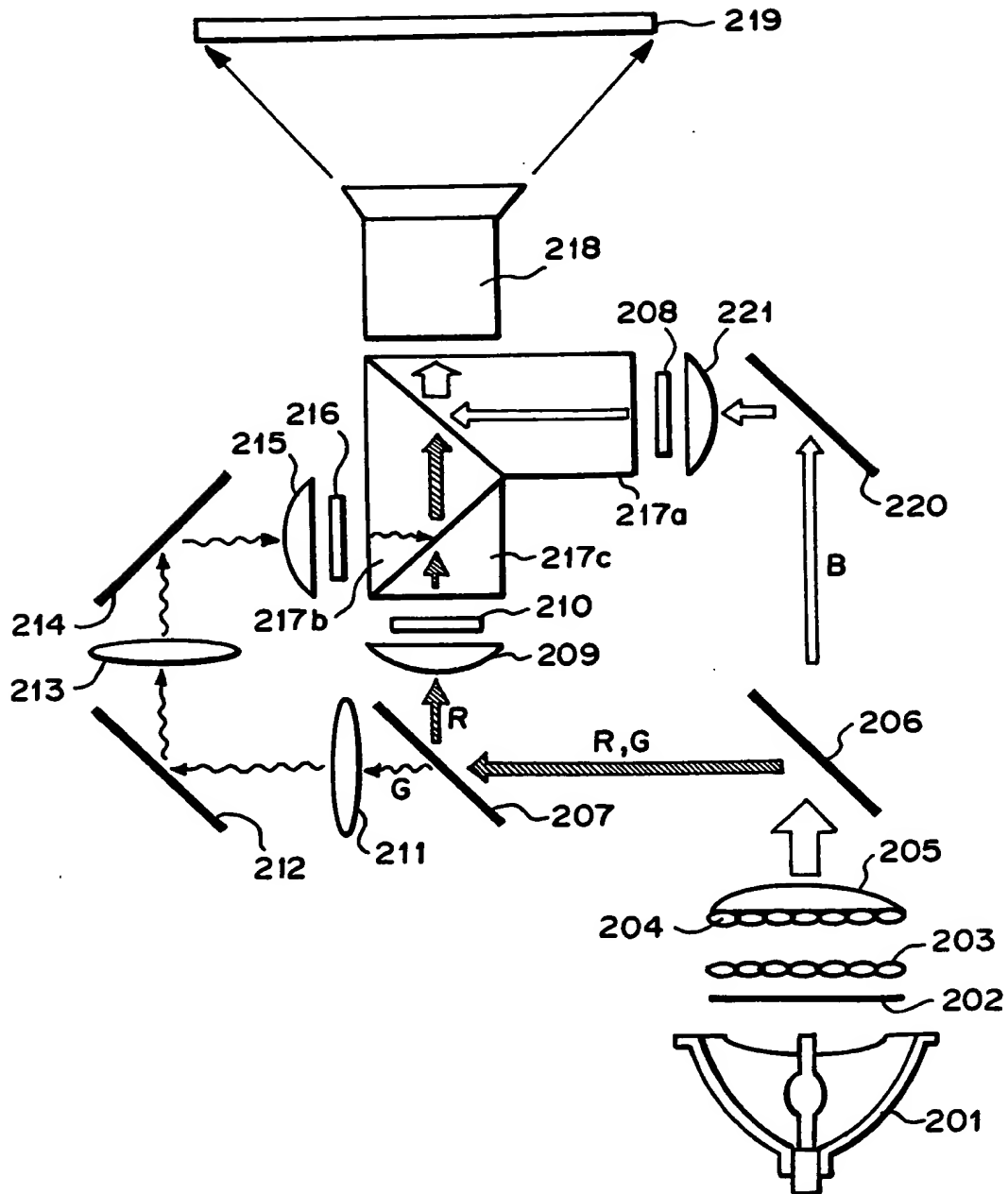


FIG. 14



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REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION OF
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests that the Information Disclosure Statement submitted and filed on July 10, 2003, be officially considered of record. Attached is a copy of the Form PTO-1449 filed on July 10, 2003, as well as a copy of the date-stamped postcard. Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner officially acknowledge the disclosed information and promptly return the initialed Form PTO-1449.

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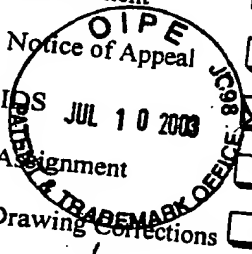
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